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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Benson, Morgan Rey et al.  
Serial No.: 09/940,164  
Group Art Unit: 1746  
Examiner: Wills, Monique M.  
Filed: August 27, 2001  
For: BATTERY CONSTRUCTED WITH EXTRACTED BICELLS  
STACKED ON SHUTTLED PALLET  
Docket No.: DP-306072

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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In response to the Official Action dated June 22, 2004, please consider the following remarks:

The application currently stands restricted to one of the following inventions  
under 35 USC 121.

- I. Claims 1-13 drawn to a method of assembling a storage battery, classified in class 29, subclass 623.1.

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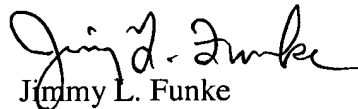
II. Claims 14-19, drawn to an apparatus for constructing storage batteries,  
classified in class 429, subclass 9.

In response to the restriction requirement, applicants hereby elect invention I, claims 1-13,  
without traverse. Accordingly, please cancel claims 14-19 without prejudice.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0831 for  
any fees or credit the account for any overpayment.

Respectfully submitted,

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